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1. (currently amended) A dispensing device for dispensing a volatile material to an ambient environment which includes comprising

an electrically driven actuator device for dispensing a the volatile material to an ambient environment from a replaceable refill adapted to be fitted to the dispensing device, comprising:

a refill which includes a reservoir containing a volatile liquid and which

further includes a closure means; and

a switch means associated with the dispensing device adapted to engage or interact with the closure means when the dispensing device is appropriately assembled.

a closure means arranged on the refill,

the dispensing device comprising a switch,

the switch and the closure means being adapted, when the refill is fitted, to enable the actuator device in a material-dispensing manner,

the switch including a radio frequency transmitter and receiver circuit capable of transmitting a signal, and

the closure means comprising a metallic coil capable of resonating in sympathy with the signal and emitting a return resonant signal which is actuator device enabling.

- 2.(currently amended) A dispensing device according to claim 1, wherein the actuator device is one of a fan, blower, heating element, piezoelectric nebuliser or other electrically driven device useful in vaporizing or dispersing a volatile liquid.

3. (currently amended) A dispensing device according to claim 1, which comprises a plurality of closure means and a plurality of switch means wherein the closing means are a plurality of closing means and the switch is a plurality of switches .

4. (currently amended) A dispensing device according to claim 1, wherein the closure means is an electrically conductive strip or a magnet.

5. (canceled)

6.(canceled)

7. (previously presented) A process for preventing the use of inappropriate refills in an air treatment device, which includes the step of:
providing a dispensing device according to claim 1 to an ambient environment.

8. (previously presented) A process for preventing the use of inappropriate refills in an air treatment device, which includes the step of:
providing a dispensing device according to claim 2 to an ambient environment.

9. (previously presented) A process for preventing the use of inappropriate refills in an air treatment device,
which includes the step of:
providing a dispensing device according to claim 3 to an ambient environment.

10. (previously presented) A process for preventing the use of inappropriate refills in an air treatment device,
which includes the step of:
providing a dispensing device according to claim 4 to an ambient environment.

11. (canceled)

12. (canceled)

13. (previously presented) A dispensing device according to claim 2 wherein the closure means is an electrically conductive strip or a magnet.

14. (previously presented) A dispensing device according to claim 3 wherein the closure means is an electrically conductive strip or a magnet.

15. (canceled)

16. (canceled)

17. (canceled)

18. (canceled)